St Anne's C of E Primary School Curriculum Plan

Subject: History

Year: 4

Unit: Invasion





Vocabulary	Knowledge	Understanding	Skills
	Children will know (that)	Children will understand (that)	Children will be able to
Angle - A person from northern Germany who invaded and settled in parts of eastern and northern England. Anglo-Saxon - The period in	Primary sources contain the life experiences, thoughts, opinions and beliefs of their writers or creators, which can affect the information included and the way that people and events have been	What primary sources are and the fact that the experiences of their creators can affect what they depict. (This is the pre teaching for bias in the next year group.)	Explain the cause, consequence and impact of invasion and settlement in Britain.
Britain from the end of Roman rule to the Norman Conquest in 1066. Anglo-Saxons were the descendants of the Angles, Saxons and Jutes.	depicted. Historical information can be presented as written texts, tables, diagrams, captions and lists.	The ways in which historians present historical information.	Explain in detail the multiple causes and effects of significant events. Change and Continuity
Battle of Hastings - The battle between King Harold II of England and William, Duke of Normandy, in October 1066. Celt - A person of European origin who settled in Britain from c800 BC.	Timelines help us to understand longer or more complex periods of time by breaking significant events or periods into smaller parts and arranging them chronologically. They can also help us to identify cause and effect.	How historians use timelines when studying history.	Sequence significant dates about events within a historical time period on historical timelines. Describe a series of significant events, linked by a common theme, that show changes over time in Britain.
	During the period AD 410–1066, Britain came under attack from the		Significance

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Danelaw - The area of Anglo-Saxon England where the Vikings ruled.

East Anglia - A kingdom in eastern Anglo-Saxon England.

Essex - A kingdom in eastern Anglo-Saxon England.

heptarchy - The seven kingdoms into which England was divided in cAD 600 made up of East Anglia, Essex, Kent, Mercia, Northumbria, Sussex and Wessex.

hierarchy - A system in a society where people are organised into different levels of importance from highest to lowest.

invasion - When a foreign army enters a country by force.

Jorvik -The Viking name for the city of York.

Jute - A person of Germanic origin who settled in Kent and the Isle of Wight.

Kent - A kingdom in south-east Anglo-Saxon England.

kingdom - An area ruled by a king. Mercia A kingdom in central Anglo-Saxon England.

Picts, Scots, Anglo-Saxons, Vikings and finally the Normans.

The Saxons, Angles and Jutes invaded from Germany, the Netherlands and Denmark, forcing Britons to take on Anglo-Saxon ways or move west to Cornwall or Wales.

As the Anglo-Saxons settled across England, they created seven kingdoms that fought between themselves for power. Over time, these merged into the five main kingdoms of East Anglia, Kent, Mercia, Northumbria and Wessex.

Anglo-Saxon words and place names still exist today.

The Anglo-Saxons recorded a set of laws, which were the first steps towards creating the legal system used in Britain today.

The Vikings travelled by longships to raid English monasteries because they were wealthy and unprotected.

The timeline of invasion (in England) from AD410-1066 and the names of each invading group.

Where in England each group invaded, where they came from and the consequences of the invasions.

The development of Anglo-Saxon Kingdoms and how they changed over time.

The impact Anglo-Saxons still have on our life today – eg. The English language, laws.

Why the Vikings invaded England and the consequences of this.

The fact that the Anglo Saxon and Viking period in England overlaps. (They are not separate time periods.)

Sequence significant dates about events within a historical time period on historical timelines.

Describe a series of significant events, linked by a common theme, that show changes over time in Britain.

Describe the significance and impact of power struggles on Britain.

Construct a profile of a significant leader using a range of historical sources.

Explain in detail the multiple causes and effects of significant events.

Similarity and Difference

Describe a series of significant events, linked by a common theme, that show changes over time in Britain.

Compare and contrast two civilisations.

Evidence and Interpretation

Interpret a primary source and understand how the context in which it was written influences the writer's viewpoint.

Norman - The period in Britain	Different civilisations can have	The similarities and differences	Present a thoughtful selection of
from the Norman Conquest in 1066	similar or contrasting	between the Anglo-Saxons and	relevant information in a historical
until 1154.	characteristics.	Vikings.	report, fictional narrative, in-depth
			study or by answering a range of
Northumbria - A kingdom in	There were three claimants to the		historical questions.
northern Anglo-Saxon England.	English throne after Edward the		
	Confessor died in 1066.		
pagan - A person who believes in			
many gods or does not follow one	Harold Godwinson was crowned	How Anglo-Saxon and Viking rule	
of the world's major religions.	king and defeated Harald Hardrada	ended in Britain.	
Pict - A person living in northern	at the Battle of Stamford Bridge		
Scotland during the Roman	then he was defeated by William,		
occupation of Britain.	Duke of Normandy at the Battle of		
becapacion of Britain	Hastings. This was the end of Anglo-Saxon and Viking rule and		
Saxon - A person living in central	the beginning of Norman Britain.		
or northern Germany during the	the beginning of Norman Britain.		
Roman occupation of Britain. Many			
Saxons conquered and settled in			
southern England after the Roman			
withdrawal.			
Condinguis An away of Europa			
Scandinavia - An area of Europe that includes Sweden, Norway and			
Denmark.			
Delilliark.			
Scot - A person originally from			
Ireland who moved to Scotland			
after the Roman withdrawal from			
England.			
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Sussex - A kingdom in southern			
Anglo-Saxon England.			
Viking - A person from			
Scandinavia who raided and traded			
with parts of north-western Europe.			
Wessex - A kingdom in central			
southern Anglo-Saxon England			

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Vocabulary	Knowledge	Understanding	Skills
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afterlife - The life that is believed to begin after death. ancient Egypt - A civilisation that existed around the banks of the Nile from c3100 BC until 30 BC. ancient Sumer - The first civilisation in the world that existed in Mesopotamia, modern-day Iraq, from c4500 BC until c1900 BC. archaeologist - A person who studies human history by excavating sites and analysing artefacts. archaeology - The study of human history by excavating sites and analysing artefacts.	Historical information can be presented as written texts, tables, diagrams, captions and lists. Ancient Sumer was the first civilisation to develop c4500 BC. Nomads settled there because of the food and water available in the Fertile Crescent. The hierarchy in ancient Sumerian city states had the lugal at the top followed by priests and priestesses, upper class professionals then lower class craftspeople, farmers and slaves.	How historical information can be presented and the ways in which historians use these sources. When and how the Ancient Sumer civilisation developed and their historical significance. The hierarchy of people in Sumerian city states.	Explain in detail the multiple causes and effects of significant events. Explain in detail the multiple causes and effects of significant events. Change and Continuity Construct a narrative, chronological or non-chronological account of a past civilisation, focusing on their features and achievements. Answer and ask historically valid questions about changes over time and suggest or plan ways to answer them.

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artefact - An object that was made in the past, such as a tool.

canopic jar - A wood, stone or clay container with a lid used in ancient Egypt to hold organs from a mummified body.

civilisation - The developed culture and way of life of a society.

cuneiform - Ancient writing used by the Sumerians made up of simple pictures.

Fertile Crescent - The area of land in the Middle East where the first ancient civilisations began.

floodplain - A fertile area of lowlying land near a river that often floods when the river rises.

hierarchy - A system in society where people are organised into different levels of importance from highest to lowest.

hieroglyph - A picture or symbol representing a word used in ancient Egyptian writing.

Indus Valley - The area next to the Indus River in modern-day Pakistan and north-west India where the Indus Valley civilisation developed from c2500 BC to c1700 BC.

Ancient Egyptian civilisation grew around the banks of the Nile c3100 BC to 30 BC.

Ancient Egyptian wealthy people lived in comfortable houses with gardens and pools. They enjoyed hunting, banquets, music, dancing and games.

Ancient Egyptian poor people lived in small, flat-roofed houses and did specialised jobs inside the city or worked on farms.

The ancient Egyptian hierarchy had the pharaoh at the top followed by the vizier, priests, scribes and soldiers, craftspeople and merchants, peasant farmers and slaves.

A pharaoh was a ruler of ancient Egypt. The pharaoh was in charge of everything, including laws and religion, and the people of Egypt worked to fulfil the pharaoh's wishes.

King Narmer united Upper and Lower Egypt and became the first pharaoh to rule over Egypt as a whole.

King Khufu ordered the building of the Great Pyramid of Giza.

When the Ancient Egyptians lived and how long the civilisation lasted for.

The hierarchy of people in Ancient Egypt and the similarities and differences between the lives of poor and rich Egyptians.

Construct a narrative, chronological or non-chronological account of a past civilisation, focusing on their features and achievements.

Sequence significant dates about events within a historical time period on historical timelines.

Significance

Describe the hierarchy and different roles in ancient civilisations.

Explain in detail the multiple causes and effects of significant events.

Construct a profile of a significant leader using a range of historical sources.

Similarity and Difference

Answer and ask historically valid questions about changes over time and suggest or plan ways to answer them.

Describe the hierarchy and different roles in ancient civilisations.

The role of a pharaoh in Ancient Egypt.

irrigation - The digging of channels to allow water to flow through a field to water crops.

Mesopotamia - An ancient historical area in modern-day Iraq where the Ancient Sumerian civilisation developed in c4500 BC.

mummification - The process of preserving a dead body by drying and wrapping that was used by the ancient Egyptians.

nomad - A person who travels from place to place to find food, water and shelter.

papyrus - A material made in ancient Egypt from the stem of a water plant and used in sheets for writing or painting.

pharaoh - A ruler of ancient Egypt.

pyramid - A structure with a square or triangular base and sloping sides used as a royal tomb in ancient Egypt.

sarcophagus - A stone coffin usually decorated with carvings or inscriptions used in ancient Egypt.

scribe - A professional writer.

King Hatshepsut was a woman who made herself a king because kings had more power than queens.

Amenhotep IV banned the worship of all gods and goddesses apart from the Sun God, Aten. This caused Egypt to lose a lot of its wealth.

The 20th century discovery of Tutankhamun's tomb by British archaeologist Howard Carter enabled historians to learn more about ancient Egyptian pharaohs.

Civilisations end because of invasion, natural disasters, climate change, starvation and disease or human activities.

The different leaders in Ancient Egypt and the impact that they made on the civilisation.

The impact of the discovery of Tutankhamun's tomb on historian's knowledge of Ancient Egypt.

Different reasons why civilisations end and the specific reasons why the Sumerian civilisation. Ancient Egyptians and Indus Valley civilisation ended. Describe the hierarchy and different roles in ancient civilisations.

Evidence and Interpretation

Explain how artefacts provide evidence of everyday life in the past.

Explain how the design, decoration and materials used to make an artefact can provide evidence of the wealth, power and status of the object's owner.

Present a thoughtful selection of relevant information in a historical report, fictional narrative, in-depth study or by answering a range of historical questions.

Explain how artefacts provide evidence of everyday life in the past.

